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Definition of Natural Born Citizen

VATTEL, LAW OF NATIONS, Page 101.

"The natives, or natural born citizens, are those born in the country, of parents who are citizens."

"The country of the fathers is therefor that of the children"

"In order to be of the country, it is necessary that a person be born of a father who is a citizen; for, it his born there of a foreigner, it will be only the place of his birth, not his country."

From Vattel's Law of Nations, a copy of which is in the Montana Law Library. (Label on the spine of the volume is: Ref K 3150 V27 1852)

Vattel thus says a natural born citizen is one who is born in the country to two parent each of whom are citizens of that country.

The affidavit filed by a candidate for President or Vice President (as required in HB205) needs to state that each candidate meets this criterion.